IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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GAU: 3623 Confirmation No. 1577 Examiner: M. Irshadullah

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For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR DETERMINING AND REDUCING CUSTOMER SERVICE IMPACT

Request For Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal

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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-identified application.

Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995,

| or to any design application. See instruction Sheet for RCEs (not to be submitted to the USPTO) on page 2. | | | | | |
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| | Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114. Note: If the RCE is proper, any previously filed unentered amendments and amendments enclosed with the RCE will be entered in the order in which they were filed unless applicant instructs otherwise. If applicant does not wish to have any previously filed unentered amendment(s) entered, applicant must request non-entry of such amendment(s). | | | | |
| a | a. Previously submitted. If a final Office action is outstanding, any amendments filed after the final Office action may be considered as a submission even if this box is not checked. | | | the final Office | |
| | i. | ☐ Consider the amendment(s)/reply ur | nder 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on | _ | |
| | ii. | ☐ Other: | <u>—</u> | | |
| t | o. 🛛 | Enclosed | | | |
| | i. | ☑ Preliminary Amendment | | | |
| | ii. | ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) | | | |
| | iii. | . Information Disclosure Statement (II | OS) | | |
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| 2. N | Miscellaneous. | | | | |
| ā | a. Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. 1.103(c) for a period of months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i) required). | | | | |
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| | Fees. The RCE fee under 37 CFR 1.17(e) is required by 37 CFR 1.114 when the RCE is filed. The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments, to: | | | | |
| a | a. 🛛 | Deposit Account No. 23-2185 | | | |
| | i. | i. 🛛 RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(e) | | | |
| | ii. Extension of time fee (37 CFR 1.136 and 1.17) | | | | |
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| Date: November 21, 2005 Peter S. Weissman Registration No. 40,220 | | | 1 TE | | |